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Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.

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## FEE CALCULATION

### 1. BASIC FILING FEE

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### 2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES

Total Claims	26	26*	=	0	X	18.00	=	\$0.00	Extra Claims	Fee from below	Fee Paid
Independent Claims	9	9*	=	0	X	88.00	=	\$0.00			
Multiple Dependent											

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1051	130	2051	65 Surcharge - late filing fee or oath
1052	50	2052	25 Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet.
2053	130	2053	130 Non-English specification
1812	2,520	1812	2,520 For filing a request for ex parte reexamination
1804	920*	1804	920 * Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action
1805	1,840*	1805	1,840 * Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action
1251	110	2251	55 Extension for reply within first month
1252	430	2252	215 Extension for reply within second month
1253	980	2253	490 Extension for reply within third month
1254	1,530	2254	765 Extension for reply within fourth month
1255	2,080	2255	1,040 Extension for reply within fifth month
1404	340	2401	170 Notice of Appeal
1402	340	2402	170 Filing a brief in support of an appeal
1403	300	2403	150 Request for oral hearing
1451	1,510	2451	1,510 Petition to institute a public use proceeding
1452	110	2452	55 Petition to revive - unavoidable
1453	1,370	2453	685 Petition to revive - unintentional
1501	1,370	2501	685 Utility issue fee (or reissue)
1502	490	2502	245 Design issue fee
1503	660	2503	330 Plant issue fee
1460	130	2460	130 Petitions to the Commissioner
1807	50	1807	50 Prospecting fee under 37 CFR 1.17(q)
1806	180	1806	180 Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt
8021	40	8021	40 Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)
1809	790	1809	395 Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR § 1.129(a))
1810	790	2810	395 For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR § 1.129(b))
1801	790	2801	395 Request for Continued Examination (RCE)
1802	900	1802	900 Request for expedited examination of a design application
Other fee (specify)			

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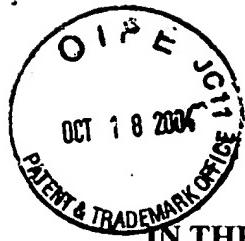
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**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL ACTION UNDER § 1.116**

SIR:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed on July 12, 2004 (Paper No. 16),  
with the three month period for response under 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a) set to expire on  
October 12, 2004, please reconsider the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2  
of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 9 of this paper.